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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Restriction Requirement from the Examiner mailed December 19, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.